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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that a Certificate of Correction be given in accord with Form PTO-1050. The Certificate of Correction is required as a result of error by the Patent Office.

It is respectfully submitted that significant error is present in the printed patent, and that correction thereof in accord with enclosed Form PTO-1050 is required in order that no misunderstanding will occur.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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**It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:**

Column 7, line 62; change "linkage" (second occurrence only) to ---link---.

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